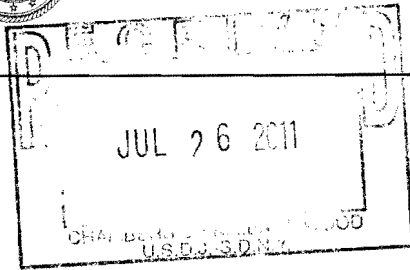


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By Hand
 The Honorable Kimba M. Wood
 United States District Judge
 Daniel Patrick Moynihan U.S. Courthouse
 500 Pearl Street, Room 1610
 New York, New York 10007
MEMO ENDORSED
 Re: United States v. Wesam El-Hanafi and Sabirhan Hasanoff
 S4 10 Cr. 162 (KMW)

Dear Judge Wood:

The Government's response to defendants' pretrial motions is due on August 2, 2011, and defendants' reply is due on August 17, 2011. Due to the Government's trial schedule on another matter, the Government requests a 10-day extension in the filing deadline, to August 12, 2011, with defendants' reply due August 29, 2011. The defendants, through counsel, have consented to this request.

 Granted.
 KMW

On or about June 3, 2011, the Court granted a defense request to submit memoranda of law in excess of the 25-page limit. Thereafter, Defendant Hasanoff filed a memorandum totaling 29 pages and Defendant El-Hanafi filed a memorandum totaling 45 pages. The Government will make every effort to be concise in its response, but also requests permission to file a responsive memorandum in excess of the 25-page limit, so that all of the defendants' arguments can be adequately addressed.

 Granted.
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Respectfully submitted,

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